

Random Notes

The Liberal party's victory in Newfoundland's provincial election could be looked upon as an augury for the result on June 17th next, although Progressive Conservative spokesmen dismiss the idea with scorn. The leader of the P.-C.'s down there, however, had some justification for his alleged blistering comment that the flooding of the province by the Family Allowance checks prior to election day had its effect upon the voting.

Nevertheless, the question to be answered remains, there, is it carries the larger share of obliquity? The voting public, or the dispensers of such favours?

Former Defence Secretary James Forrestal, whose intimacy and candour were well known to the present prominent United States government official whose broken health has led to a death within a relatively short span of time, John Winant, former ambassador to Britain during the war years, it may be remembered, ended his life in a tragic manner. In the case of Mr. Forrestal, an inability to harmonize antagonistic viewpoints of the three armed services added to a scheme for the appointment of one supreme head to the armed forces of his country, is believed to be responsible for the strain under which he broke down. The recall of General Eisenhower from Columbia University to deal with this crucial problem, seems to confirm this belief.

These are strenuous days for the men on whose decisions rests the ultimate fate of their fellow countrymen.

Egg Flight Successful

An experimental air shipment of turkey hatching eggs to the United Kingdom has been reported as a 12 dozen success. Of the 12 dozen sent, only five eggs proved to be infertile, a spokesman for the British poultry industry reported. The eggs were flown via Trans Canada Air Lines and were the first of many to follow to the lucrative British market.

A huge irrigation project will be started soon in Idaho, and which completed will cost an estimated \$2.8 billion, and will double the arable acreage in that country which at present is 2.5 million acres.

Business News

Mr. Joe Blair, from Calgary, was a business visitor in the district last week.

Calgary visitors during the week were Ray Nelson and Elsie Gostling.

Miss Marion Poyton, from Hanna, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Phillips were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Reeves, of the Bismore district, on Tuesday last week.

Miss Shirley P. Case, of Youngstown, spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Fraser last week.

Mr. Joe Cramer, and Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Ridley, were guests at the Holland home last Sunday.

Mr. Cliff Chambers was a Hanna visitor on Friday last.

The Misses Margaret Holland, Bessie Martin, and Mabel Smith of Delia, each spent the holiday at their respective homes.

Wilbert Tully was a bus passenger to Rumsay last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Reeves and family, of Bismore, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carter last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Stan. Cuncannon, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Trenchman, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Anderson, Bert. Holland, Hugh Nixon, Bob Cuncannon, David and Lloyd Anderson, Jackie Cuncannon, the Misses Margaret Holland, Melva Anderson, Grace Cuncannon, Teresa Reamer, Sharon Anderson, and Louise Reamer, motored to Finlay Lake last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Art. Nelson, and Ray, Jimmie Smith, Bessie Martin, and Mrs. Willis Nelson, and Mabel Smith, spent Tuesday in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Ridley, Mrs. Fred. Holland, and Bert. Ridley, motored to Ponoka last Friday to attend the graduation of Miss Irene Ridley, nurse-in-training at that point.

Those who continue to shrink from responsibility continue to shrink.

Obituary

Catherine Annie Hudgdon

A resident of the Delia district for the past 36 years, passed away in Drumheller hospital on Saturday, May 21st, following a lengthy illness. Born at Douglass, Ia., U.S.A., the late Mrs. Hudgdon was 64 years of age. Of an amiable and kindly disposition, she was well known and highly respected by a wide circle of friends. Her husband pre-deceased her in 1927. Surviving to mourn her loss are one son, Paul of Valton; two daughters, Eileen, of Denver, Colorado, and Mrs. F. Almond, of Delia; two sisters, two brothers, and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were held in Delia United Church at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, May 26th, with Rev. E. Davidge, assisted by Mr. R. Yorke, of Rowley, officiating. Mrs. E. Blore presided at the piano for the duet, "Beyond the Sunset," sang by Mrs. Austin Whitman and Mrs. Paul Eberley. Committal hymns sang by the choir, "Rock of Ages," and "Abide with Me."

Burial services—Messrs. H. T. D. H. Campbell, D. Nielsen, S. Sloan, R. Sargent, and George Lowe.

Interment followed in the family plot in Delia cemetery.

Winter's Funeral Home, Drumheller, had charge of arrangements.

Robert Samuel Congdon

On Tuesday, May 24th, Robert Samuel Congdon, of Cragsville, passed away in Hanna hospital at the age of 71 years. The late Mr. Congdon settled in this district in 1909 and was one of the first old-timers to take up residence here. He was pre-deceased by his wife two years ago.

Funeral services were held in Delia United Church on Friday, May 27, at 2 p.m. Canon Winter of Hanna, officiating.

Interment took place in the Delia cemetery.

Whyte Funeral Home, Hanna, had charge of arrangements.

Where does your province need to be different? Your city? Your home? What are you going to do about it?

A man who doesn't care who gets the credit is the greatest credit to his nation.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roger Rose Celebrate Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Rose, who are well known in this district, celebrated their Golden Wedding on Sunday, May 22nd, at their home in Rincius, Alta.

Four of their five sons were present, with their wives. Alford, of Rincius; Eustace, near Westminster; Sydney, Calgary; Byron, Ottawa, and their daughter, Frances (Mrs. David Gould) Hanna. Their son Robert, who returned to Canada in July, 1948, after some years in England and Ireland, is now with the National Research Council, Ottawa, had to go to Halifax on business; so was unable to come here.

In the afternoon, about 45 friends and neighbors from Rincius, Chedokeville, Caroline, Dovercourt and Rocky Mountain House, gathered to wish Mr. and Mrs. Rose long life and happiness. Mr. Alfred Rose arranged and various lady visitors served a lunch. A three-tier cake decorated by a neighbor (Mrs. F. J. Ankles), was greatly admired and appreciated.

Many gifts were made to the happy pair, and letters and congratulations from many parts of the province and the dominion were received.—Cos.

Canadian Legion Seeks Benefactors for Imperial War Veterans

"To strengthen the representatives which the Canadian Legion is making to the government in an attempt to have benefits of the War Veterans' Insurance Act extended to former members of the Imperial forces, who are not now covered by the Act, a plea of Imperial veterans on widows of veterans who might be affected is being compiled.

The Provincial Council has therefore, requested such persons in this area to complete the required forms at the local branch, or contact the Provincial Council in Calgary. The Legion executives last week completion of the form will not automatically entitle a veteran for consideration for the war veterans allowance.

"Persons for whom the Legion is seeking the benefits of the Act are those members of the Imperial forces who served in its actual theatre of war, and did not have Canadian domicile prior to their enlistment, but have now been resident in Canada for a period of 10 years or more. They believe that they are nearer their objective than ever before, and an estimated number of persons who would be eligible for allowances if this restriction was removed, is required."

THE WORLD OF WHEAT

By H. G. L. Strange
Director "The Crop Testing Plan"

Drought Ends at Last

Our Prairie provinces have suffered from quite a severe drought from April 1st, 1949, to Monday, May 16th. The fall moisture—that is, rain which occurred between August 1st and November 1st, and which form the reserve moisture for this present crop, only averaged 64 per cent of normal, compared with 121 per cent the previous year. Then the rains which occurred this growing season, that is from April 1st to May 16th, were themselves only 27 per cent of normal, making a total condition of only 69 per cent of normal on May 16th.

This was a serious matter for the entire west as it meant that the entire crop of wheat, and which produced a crop last year. Fortunately, just as many were becoming exceedingly worried, a rain storm occurred over many areas on Tuesday, May 17th. This gives sufficient moisture to germinate the seed, and to carry the crop along for a week or so, for the reason that the young plants at this stage use very little moisture. There still, however, remains a serious deficiency of rainfall which will need to be built up by more rain than usual if an average yield to the area is to be enjoyed.

The battle of right and wrong has no neutral. You default if you do not fight.

Women's Missionary Society

The May meeting was held in the Church hall on Thursday, May 19th, at 8 p.m.

The president, Mrs. P. Thompson, was in the chair and opened the meeting by hymn No. 600, and taking the devotional period, reading Isaiah, 53—a study from the "Upper Room"—the world for Christ being the title for this study. She then offered prayer. The minutes of the previous month were read by the secretary-treasurer and adopted as read.

Mrs. W. D. Fitzsimmons, Literature secretary, reported on available missionary books for summer reading.

Mrs. Macpherson, Community secretary, reported on the work of the Society.

Mrs. Peters, Supply secretary, thanked the ladies who helped prepare the hospital quilt and distributed material for the layette to volunteers.

Good used clothing and shoes will be welcome to send overseas as there is still a great need to be met by the Christian church. Anything in this line may be left at the Co-Op store.

Mrs. Peters, manager. Donations of money for freight shipping will also be thankfully received. Low headed shoes are most acceptable.

The Roll Call was answered by thirteen members and one visitor, the topic being, "Mothers of the Bible."

The program prepared by Mrs. Fitzsimmons and Mrs. S. Thompson was taken from the 1947-48 Blue Book, and was reports of missionaries in Korea. As Rev. Ella Daniels, a former member of the Drumheller presbytery, is stationed at Seoul, these reports were very interesting and informative.

Mrs. P. Thompson thanked the program committee and closed the meeting by hymn No. 380, prayer and benediction.

Mrs. George Lowe and Mrs. G. Hands served a delicious refreshment. The social half hour was enjoyed by all present.—Cos.

You can only die for your country once, but you can live for it daily.

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Hand Hills Stampede

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The individual farmer, while somewhat handicapped by restriction laws and fence lines can at least, be on the alert to destroy all coyotes in his own land, and in late area. The coonraters are hard to trap, snare or poison either, fowl and deer have reached a grim new record. Something must be done to control this menacing outlaw while its breeding grounds and lairs are easily accessible.

Whether a combination of trained trappers or adequate bounty payments to induce amateurs to take an interest in the warfare, it still remains that an aggressive campaign on the part of both farmers and Government is desirable.

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MR. COLDWELL'S PROBLEM

Commenting on Mr. Coldwell's policy of nationalizing the Canadian Pacific Railway, while at the same time stating that his party would not amalgamate it with the Canadian National Railway, but would allow the two nationally owned lines to continue in competition, the Calgary Albertaian, after drawing attention to the absurdity of such a proposition, concludes: "...probably Mr. Coldwell isn't very worried, because he knows he won't be called upon to implement such a hare-brained scheme."

In his efforts to obtain support across the dominion, the C.C.P. leader works under a very definite handicap. There is division within the ranks of his party on questions of vital importance to

western democracies on the one hand, while on the other, in urging that farmers and labor have identical interests, Mr. Coldwell, as champion of labor, is trying to reconcile the irreconcilable.

Local and District

Mr. Wm. Sinclair was a visitor to Calgary last week.

Henry Brunner was a business visitor in Calgary on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Oakes were Calgary visitors early this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gibson were Calgary visitors last week.

Miss Valerie Larder spent the week end in Delia visiting with her parents.

The annual Cemetery Tea has been arranged, and will be held Saturday, June 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Olsen and family were visiting in Drumheller last Saturday.

Keep Wednesday next an open date, June 8, for the Hand Hills Stampede.—See advt.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Portora and family, of Hanna, were visitors at the Gibson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Hewson, visiting in Drumheller last week.

J. C. Kuehlt left on Wednesday for Calgary, en route to his old home city of Worcester, England. From Calgary he travels by air to Prestwick, Scotland.

All ex-members of the Delia Ladies' Auxiliary to Canadian Legion are requested to attend a special meeting, Thursday, June 9th, in Rest Room at 3 p.m., to discuss whether organization will continue or not. Please: All ex-members or eligible members attend.—Advt. 22 23

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hoover, Mrs. C. Church, Mrs. Bob Morrison and Mrs. I. J. Olsen left for car on Monday to attend the Eastern Star Assembly at Banff.

A good shower of rain on Monday evening and a far heavier one on Tuesday afternoon, brought welcome relief to grain fields and gardens in the district.

Mr. Ted Robinson and baby son, Don, of Calgary, visited for a few days last week at the home of Mrs. Robinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Long.

Mrs. Alex. Morrison, Mrs. H. Sloan, Mrs. Bob Morrison and Mrs. Doug. Morrison entertained twenty-two ladies to a farewell tea for Mrs. Bob Milne, who is flying to Scotland early in June.

The Delia Cemetery Committee earnestly requests residents, or others, undertaking work of any kind in connection with plots, that they consult with one or other of the ladies of the committee before proceeding. Extra labor, with consequent expense, will thus be avoided in conforming to this request.

At the fourth annual Drumheller Calf Show and Sale, held Friday last, local winners were: 1. Don Hands, a Shorthorn, purchased by Boston's Meat Market, at 24c per lb. 2. Fred Courtney, a Hereford, purchased by W. D. Pittman's for 25c per lb. Among the T. Eaton prize-winners for Showmanship was Bob Hands. The three named were members of the Majestic Calf Club.

Card of Thanks

I wish to thank the many friends for their kindness, and especially the Long Lake Ladies' Aid for the lovely flowers sent during my recent illness in Delia Nursing Home.
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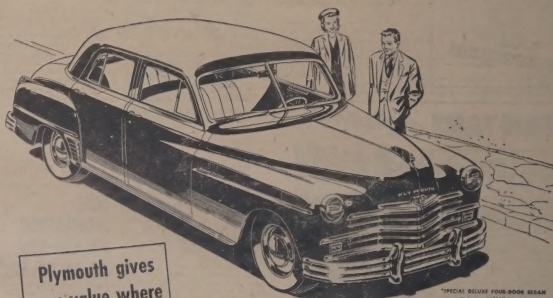
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